

REMARKS

In response to the PTO restriction requirement, applicants elect Group I, that is claims 1-9 and 18-22 directed to the scheduling of a fuel split for a combustor of a gas turbine. The claims of Invention II have been withdrawn.

An examination on the merits is awaited.

All claims are in good condition for allowance. If any small matter remains outstanding, the Examiner is requested to telephone applicants' attorney. Prompt reconsideration and allowance of this application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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